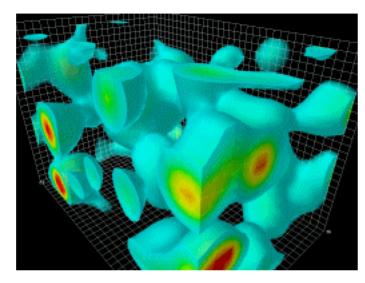
CORE: a COmpact detectoR for the EIC



The QCD vacuum

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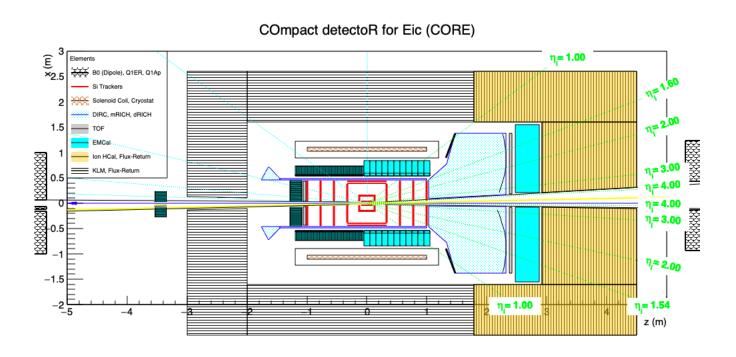
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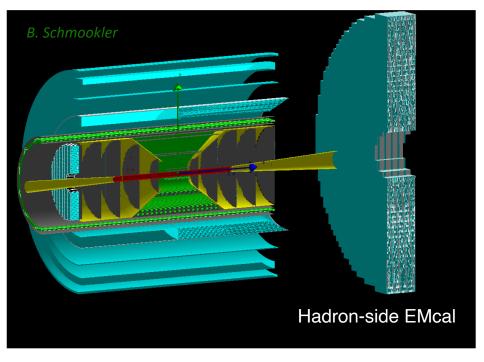
Participating institutions

- Catholic University of America
- Duke University
- Erlangen-Nuremberg University, Germany
- GSI, Germany
- Indiana University
- Old Dominion University
- Stony Brook University
- University of Hawaii
- University of South Carolina
- University of York, United Kingdom

a COmpact detectoR for the Eic (CORE)

inner CORE in Geant (fun4all)



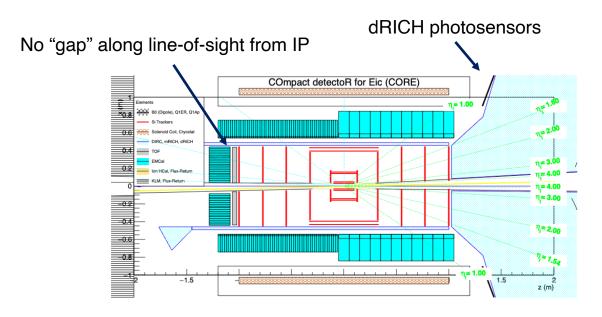


- A (nearly) hermetic general-purpose detector that fulfills the EIC physics requirements
- A small size, in particular of the inner systems, is cost-effective and allows:
 - 1. An overall reduction in cost without performance loss
 - 2. Improved performance in critical areas without large additional cost
- Risk is minimized by utilizing subsystems from the Generic EIC R&D program

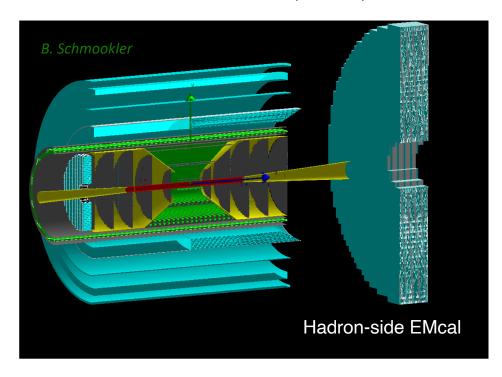
Balance can be optimized

depending on funding.

The core of CORE



inner CORE in Geant (fun4all)



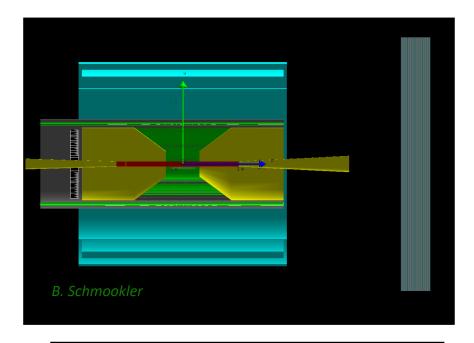
- Small central all-Si tracker (eRD25)
- Radially compact, high-performance barrel DIRC Cherenkov (eRD14)
- Dual-radiator RICH with outward-reflecting mirrors in the hadron endcap (eRD14)
- Extended PWO₄ EMcal coverage $(2\pi, \eta < 0)$ on the electron side (eRD1)
- Small solenoid (2.5 m long, 0.9 m inner radius); could be new, but compatible with ZEUS

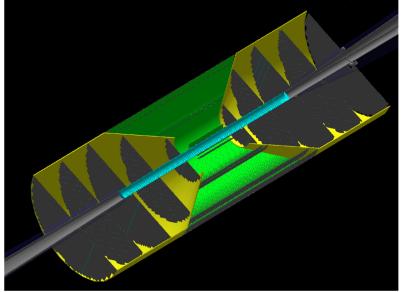
Solenoid and central Si-tracker

- The CORE solenoid is identical in size to the one used by ZEUS (2.5 m long and 0.9 m inner radius)
 - 22% of the volume of the BaBar / sPHENIX solenoid or the proposed new large 3 T one.
- With a new small solenoid, CORE could support any field in the 1.4 – 3 T range, with 2 T being the preferred value
 - p_{min}, photosensors (MCP-PMTs / LAPPDs limited to 2 T)

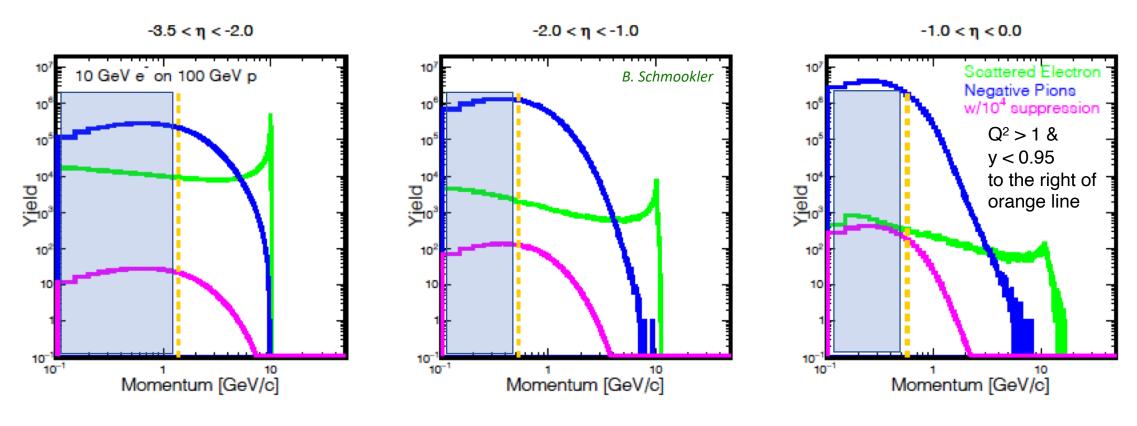
		$\delta p/p = Ap \oplus B$		$DCA_z = A/p_T \oplus B$		$DCA_T = A/p_T \oplus B$	
		A [%/GeV]	B [%]	A $[\mu m \text{ GeV}]$	$B [\mu m]$	Λ [μ m GeV]	$B [\mu m]$
$0.0 < \eta < 0.5$	B = 3.0T	0.018	0.369	26.6	3.24	25.0	4.87
	B=1.4T	0.038	0.816	27.1	3.33	26.2	3.88
$0.5 < \eta < 1.0$	B = 3.0T	0.016	0.428	36.8	3.79	28.5	4.49
	B=1.4T	0.035	0.898	35.1	3.79	31.2	4.04
$1.0 < \eta < 1.5$	B = 3.0T	0.016	0.427	55.9	5.89	33.1	5.46
	B=1.4T	0.035	0.921	56.2	5.41	35.2	5.10
$1.5 < \eta < 2.0$	B = 3.0T	0.012	0.462	108.2	8.74	39.1	5.46
	B=1.4T	0.026	0.997	106.3	8.36	39.8	5.21
$2.0 < \eta < 2.5$	B = 3.0T	0.018	0.719	207.3	19.77	45.1	9.54
	B=1.4T	0.041	1.548	201.8	21.50	46.3	9.31
$2.5 < \eta < 3.0$	B = 3.0T	0.039	1.336				
	B=1.4T	0.088	2.830				
$3.0 < \eta < 3.5$	B = 3.0T	0.103	2.428				
	B=1.4T	0.217	5.234				
$3.5 < \eta < 4.0$	B = 3.0T	0.295	4.552				
	B = 1.4T	0.610	9.797				

 The all-Si tracker developed by the eRD25 consortium is a good fit for CORE





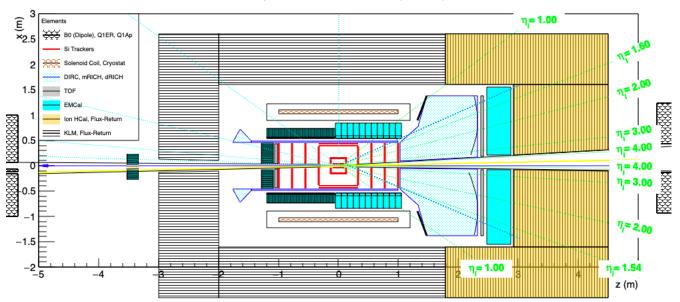
e/π identification requirements on the electron side

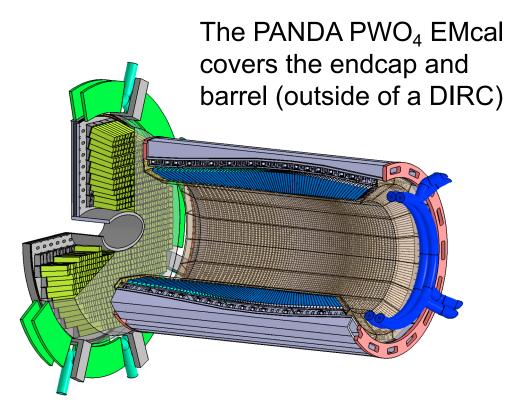


- For the EIC, a clean identification of the scattered electron is essential.
- Since the relative pion backgrounds rise with η , the most challenging region is -1 < η < 0.
- The best solution is to extend the PWO₄ EMcal coverage (η < 0).
 - This is only affordable in a relatively small detector
- Additional e/ π suppression (at least 1:10 up to 1.2 GeV) can be provided by the DIRC

4π EMcal

COmpact detectoR for Eic (CORE)

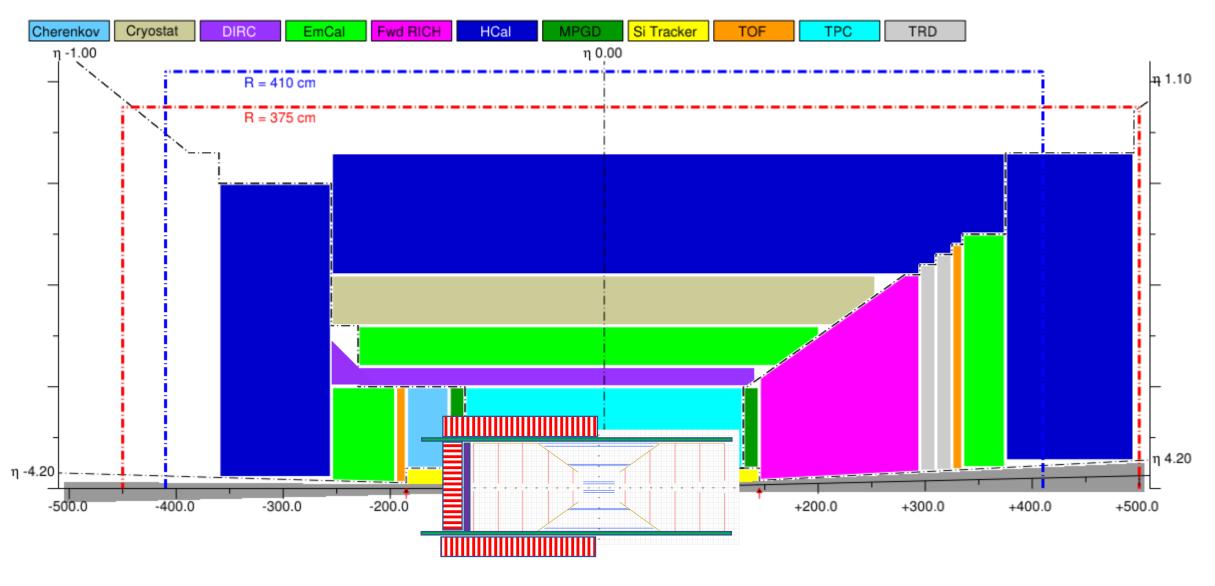




2π PWO₄ coverage

- The small size of CORE makes it affordable to extend the PWO₄ coverage to η < 0
 - The PWO₄ area will be half of that planned for PANDA, which is similar in size to CORE
- An additional small-angle PWO₄ EMcal can be placed behind the main detector endcap
- $\eta > 0$ coverage (several options including pre-showers for γ/π^0)
 - The $\eta > 0$ barrel EMcal should to be relatively compact and projective
 - The endcap EMcal needs to be affordable and work well with a high-resolution Hcal

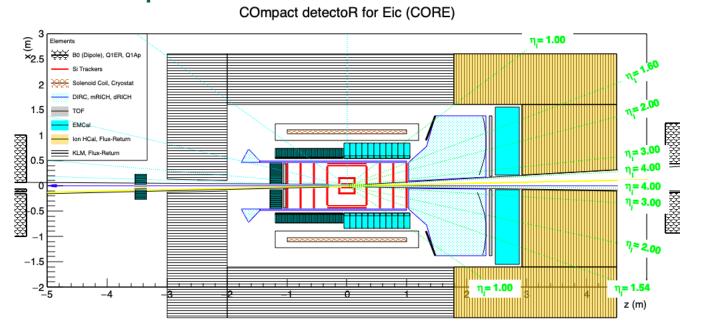
CORE 2π PWO₄ EMcal superimposed on the "YR reference detector"

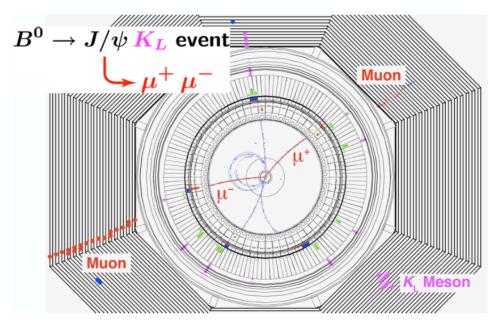


• In the "reference" detector, a PWO₄ EMcal in the barrel (green) would be much larger.

Heal options

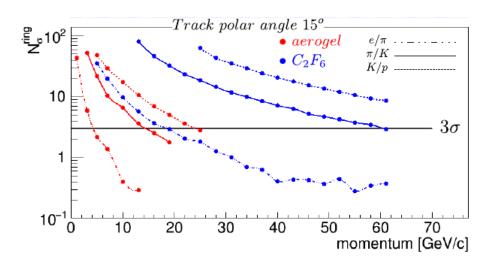
The Belle II μ -K_L (KLM) system

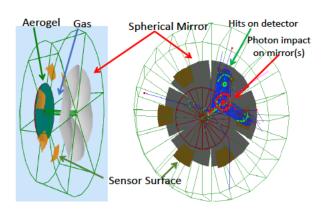




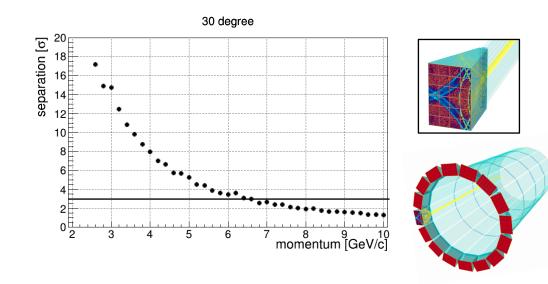
- The inner part of CORE is independent of the Hcal configuration.
- However, an attractive option is to emphasize different capabilities in different regions of rapidity...
- In the barrel and e-endcap, where jets are best reconstructed from individual tracks, one can trade energy resolution for better muon and neutral hadron ID, and lower cost (cf. Belle II KLM)
- In the hadron endcap, high energy, high multiplicity jets would benefit from an advanced Hcal (e.g., as suggested by ANL, ORNL)

Hadron Identification in the barrel (hpDIRC) and hadron endcap (dRICH)

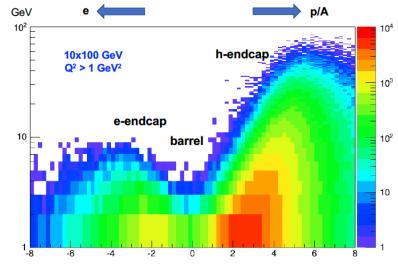




- Using aerogel and gas radiators with a single set of photosensors the dRICH provides continuous π/K separation of >3σ up to 60 GeV and excellent e/π separation
 - e/π : 10 σ at 10 GeV

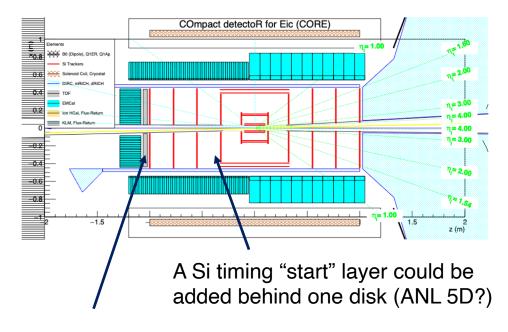


- The hpDIRC has a π/K separation of >4σ up to 6 GeV (and 2σ at 8 GeV).
 - The minimum momentum for π/K ID in threshold mode is 0.2 GeV

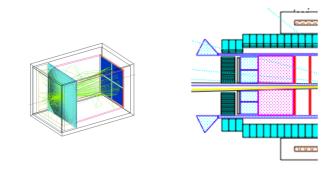


Hadron Identification in the electron endcap

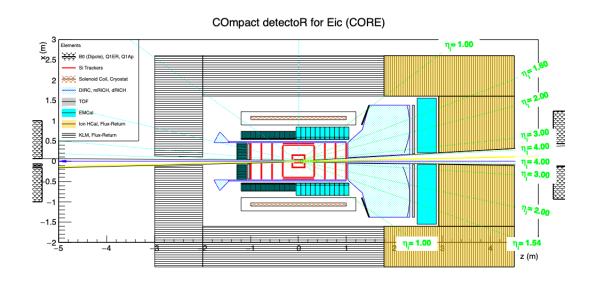
- High-resolution TOF is not competitive with Cherenkov detectors in the hadron endcap (large particle momenta) and central barrel (small radius), but could be a good solution for the electron endcap.
- t₀ can be obtained using an electron scattered into the endcap and/or a separate "start" layer at integrated with the Si-tracker.
- The TOF installation is modest and resolution could improve through future upgrades.
- However, CORE could also support an aerogel RICH (e.g., the mRICH) by extending the endcap by 30 cm, for which there is plenty of space, although this would extend the length of the PWO₄ EMcal.

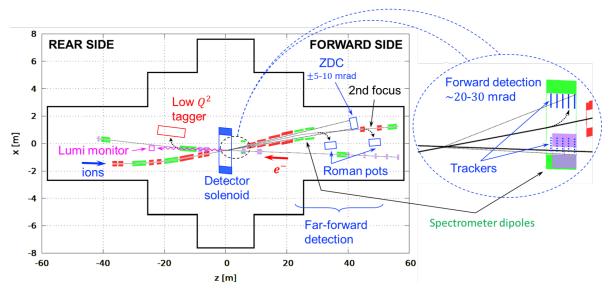


High-resolution TOF using LGADs or LAPPDs (which would not work at 3 T)



IR integration





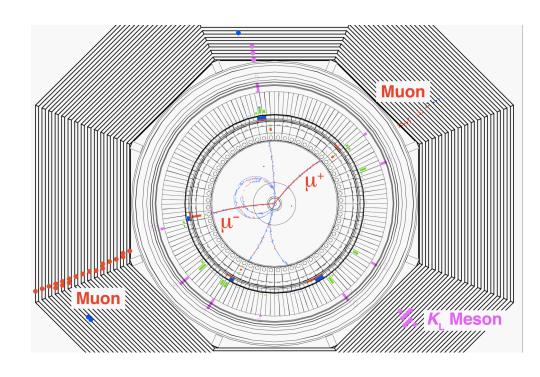
- Despite its compact size, CORE has a lot of space available for supports and services
- In its nominal configuration, CORE fits into a -3 m to +4.5 m IR space.
- If desired, the length on the hadron side could be reduced (or the electron side extended).
- CORE is compatible any crossing angle (which only affects forward acceptance in a narrow range of phi), and can fit into into both the IP6 (STAR) and IP8 (PHENX) halls.

KLM: K_L and Muon detector subsystem at the EIC

EIC EOI #26

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- High efficiency and purity μ detection and ID
 - Important for di-lepton production, including J/ψ and time-like Compton scattering (TCS)
- Identify K_L and neutrons in jets
 - Focus on PID and position rather than energy, which cannot be precisely determined for a single few-GeV neutral hadron with any Hcal
- The Belle II KLM provides a good starting point for developing a similar system for the EIC
 - More details on the Belle II KLM can be found in the backup slides.



$$B^0 \rightarrow J/\psi + K_L$$

Thank you!

Open collaboration kick-off meeting March 29-30 Save the date! All are welcome!

Example: upgraded Belle II detector at Super KEKB

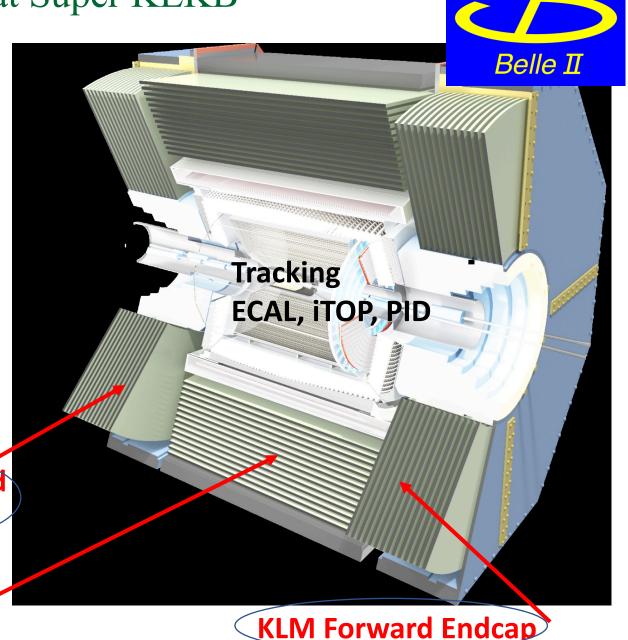
- Active readout elements interleaved with 1.5 T solenoid magnet return steel
- \triangleright Configuration optimized primarily for μ and K_L detection and ID
- Relatively inexpensive, technically simple construction and robust operation
- ➤ It is not a full-fledged/proper EM or Hadron calorimeter

Octagonal Iron yoke structures:

- 14 layers of ~ 47 mm thick steel plates
- ~ 40 mm thick air slots => 15 barrel,
 ~ 14 Forward , ~ 14 Back instrumented
 for readout

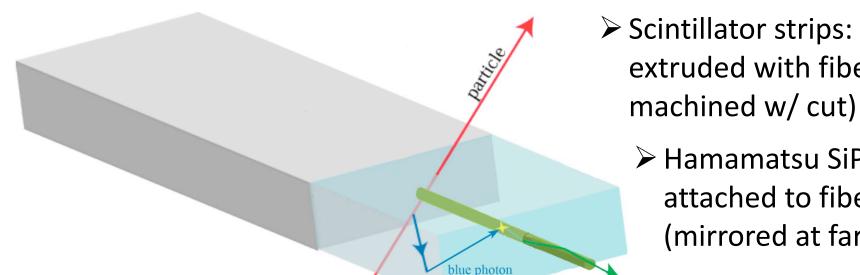
KLM Backward Endcap

KLM Barrel



Now: Endcap and first 2 Barrel layers are scintillator based

green photon to SiPM



➤ Scintillator strips: barrel ~ 1x2.5 cm² xsec extruded with fiber hole (endcaps ~ 0.7x4 cm²

> Hamamatsu SiPM attached to fiber (mirrored at far end)

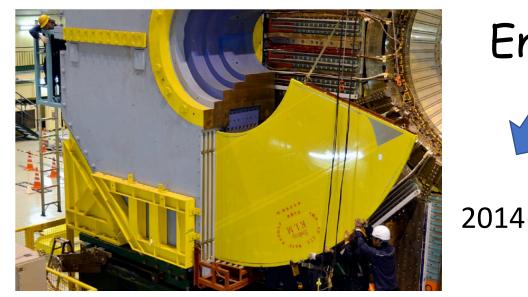


SiPM Sc. strip String Fiber Connectors

~ 1.3 x 1.3 mm² 667 pixels

- ➤ 1.5 T field operation
- rad-hard (est. >10-year lifetime @ Belle II)
- ➤ 8-pixel threshold => >99% efficiency

Belle II detector KLM components

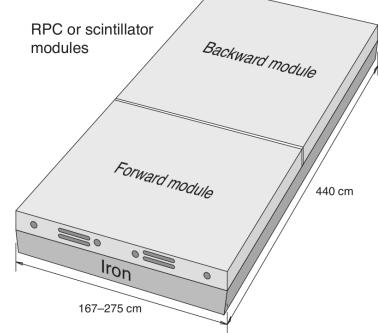


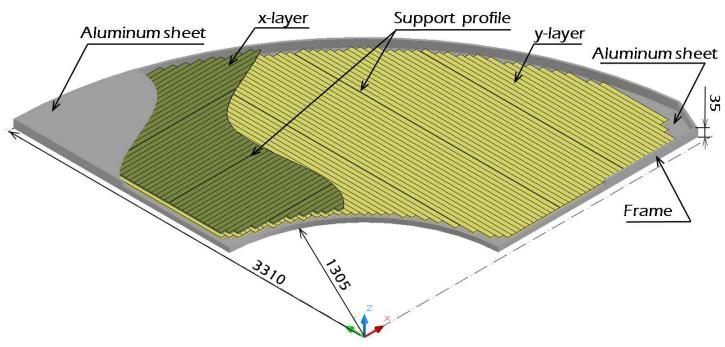
Endcap



Barrel







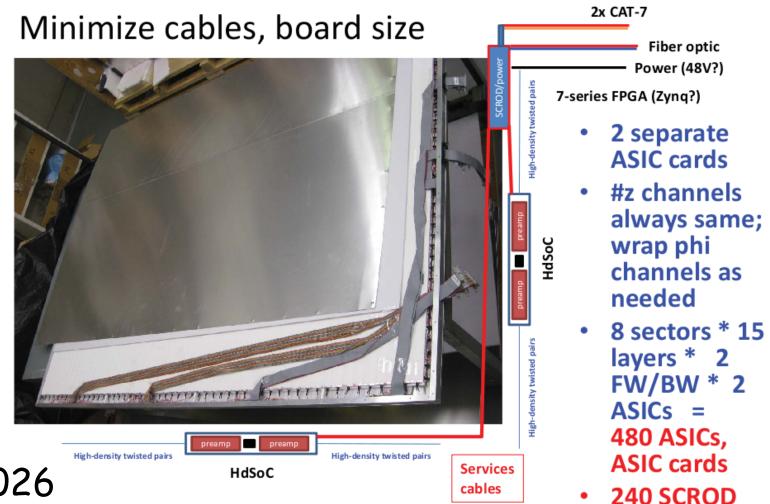


Plans (EOI to Belle II): replace 13 remaining Barrel RPC layers



- Move digitizing front end electronics into detector panel
- ➤ Developments: embedded ASIC; compact SCROD; 64-chn readout; several different preamp options
- ➤ K_L time-of-flight?

- > Fabricate the new scintillator layers
- > Redesign scintillator readout for all 15 layers



Expected installation ~ 2026